

## ESL Conversation Club: Describing People

### Warm-Up Your Vocal Chords

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| <p><b>Head, Shoulders, Knees and Toes</b></p>   | <p><b>Whether the Weather</b></p>   |
| <p>Head, shoulders, knees, and toes, knees and toes.<br/>         Head, shoulders, knees, and toes, knees and toes.<br/>         And eyes and ears and mouth and nose.<br/>         Head, shoulders, knees, and toes, knees and toes.</p> | <p>Whether the weather be cold,<br/>         Or whether the weather be hot,<br/>         We'll weather the weather<br/>         Whatever the weather,<br/>         Whether we like it or not!</p> |

### Conversation Questions in Groups of 2 People:

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● What is the first thing you notice about a person?</li> <li>● What do clothes someone wears say about that person?</li> <li>● Is there a part of your appearance that you are very proud of? (Eyes, fashion sense, hair, etc)</li> <li>● What is the most interesting haircut you have seen?</li> <li>● Have you ever gone through the entire day without noticing something was wrong with your appearance? (i.e. missing button, food in your teeth)</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● What kinds of things do you do to improve/maintain your appearance?</li> <li>● Are there any fashion trends in the past you followed but are embarrassed about now?</li> <li>● How long does it take you to get ready in the morning?</li> <li>● Have you ever been intimidated by someone's appearance?</li> <li>● Do people in your country talk a lot about other people's appearance?</li> <li>● Is it rude to tell a person that they need to improve their appearance?</li> </ul> |
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### Vocabulary to Practice

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Age: The time reached in years. (noun)</li> <li>● Ancestor: A family member from long ago. (noun)</li> <li>● Attractive: To be good to look at and to have a nice appearance. (adjective)</li> <li>● Average: To be in the middle, to not be short or tall, or not long or short. (adjective)</li> <li>● Bald: An absence of hair. (adjective)</li> <li>● Beard: The hair that grows on the face and around the jaw. (noun)</li> <li>● Beautiful: To be lovely, very good to see. (adjective)</li> <li>● Body-building: Activities to increase muscle development so that the muscles become visible. (noun)</li> <li>● Curly: To be wavy, not straight. (adjective)</li> <li>● Features: The parts of our anatomy that are observable. (noun)</li> <li>● Good-looking: To be attractive and nice to see. (adjective)</li> <li>● Hair: The threads that cover on head and other body parts. (noun)</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Handsome: To be attractive and nice to see, used to describe a man and not a woman. (adjective)</li> <li>● Height: A person's size vertically. (noun)</li> <li>● Middle-aged: The time when people are between about 45-65 years old.</li> <li>● Posture: A way of standing, holding the body in an erect position. (noun)</li> <li>● Pretty: To be nice to look at. (adjective)</li> <li>● Recognize: To remember someone/thing. (verb)</li> <li>● Scar: A physical mark on the skin. (noun)</li> <li>● Short: To be low down, not very high, the opposite of tall. (adjective)</li> <li>● Size: A defined shape and height. (noun)</li> <li>● Tall: To be high up, to be very high, the opposite of short. (adjective)</li> <li>● Teeth: The hard objects in a mouth that are used for eating/chewing food. (noun)</li> <li>● Torso: The main part of the body that the legs, arms and neck are attached to. (noun)</li> <li>● Well-dressed: To look good and wear smart clothes. (adjective)</li> </ul> |
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**Next week's topic: Weddings**